

ASSIGNMENT OF PREACHERS

By the Conference of Southern Methodist in the Henderson District

REV. BRANDON AGAIN SENT TO EARLINGTON

The following are the names of the Ministers who have been sent to the towns in the Henderson District—S. J. Thompson, presiding elder; Beech Grove, G. Y. Willson; Carrsville, T. B. Hall, supply; Corydon, E. R. Bennett; Dixon, M. H. Newton, supply; Earlinton, W. C. Brandon; Hampton Mission, W. L. Kennedy, supply; Hanson, R. H. Higgins, supply; Hebbardsville, W. S. Buckner; Henderson, Clay-street, E. M. Vance; Henderson, First church, James A. Chandler; Madisonville, A. D. Litchfield; Marion, J. B. Adams; Morganfield, F. M. Thomas; Morganfield circuit, E. D. Bogges; Providence, F. A. Mitchell; Robards, W. O. Richard; Sebree, S. E. Ragland; Shady Grove, M. C. Smart; Shaltersville, L. F. Pierce; Smith Mills, T. J. Randolph; Sturgis, M. L. Dyer; student at Vanderbilt Training School, Rufus McMein; Tolu, R. C. Love; student at Vanderbilt University, R. K. Anderson; Uniontown, L. W. Turner.

The report of Miss Ada Lewis, Corresponding Secretary of the Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Louisville Conference, at Henderson of the M. E. Church, South, was heard. She reported 1,271 members, and that \$5,000 had been expended during the past year in general work. She cited the problem of city evangelization as a crying need.

GOV. WILLSON SUGGESTS FREE POOL IN NICHOLAS COUNTY

Burley Growers Are in Great Fear Because of Threats Made.

Frankfort, Ky., Oct. 1.—In an open letter to a citizen of Nicholas county, Gov. Willson yesterday suggested the formation of a free pool in the various communities where night riding is said again to be threatened. The Governor had been receiving letters all of last week from persons in the Burley growing district who professed to be in great fear as a result of threats following their refusal to enter the Burley tobacco pool recently declared.

JEFFERSON COUNTY TEACHERS

Decide to Contest Recent Ruling By State Superintendent.

Louisville, Ky., Oct. 2.—Jefferson county (exclusive of Louisville) teachers decided today to contest in courts the ruling of Superintendent of Public Instruction Crabbe, who fixes the maximum of 100 pupils on which teachers may draw salary.

Teachers instruct as high scholars, based on the allotment of \$4.50 per month and there has been no delay in receiving

checks for Teachers

Hort, Ky., October 4.—Gwill be sent out this by Auditor James and the Farley for the school pay amounting to \$400. It will be the first installment of school money for the and the teachers will no delay in receiving

RAILROADS ARE CREOSOTING

Lines in the West and Northwest Conserving Their Timber

Any Sort of Wood, Almost, is Good If It is Pickled.

Interest in the preservative treatment of timber for increasing its length of life as material for use in railroad construction is developing at a rapid pace in the Northwest, and the Chicago, Milwaukee and Puget Sound Railroad, the new Pacific coast extension of the St. Paul system, is planning the erection of a large treating plant in Montana for the chemical preparation of timber for use as railroad ties by treatment with creosote or chloride of zinc. The Northern Pacific Railroad already creosotes nearly every tie used, having two treating plants at Brainerd, Minn., and Paradise, Mont., running to their full capacity and using almost any species of wood. The Great Northern operates a large treating plant at Somers, Mont., where zinc chloride is used instead of creosote, and is planning the erection of two new plants, one at Cass Lake, Minn., and the other near the western end of the line in Washington.

A few years ago when wood of all kinds was plentiful and cheap, the railroads and other consumers chose the varieties which were most durable and best suited to their particular purposes, with the result that the enormous consumption has created a scarcity of the best woods and made their use for many purposes, especially ties and poles, almost prohibitive. The government forest service, in conjunction with the users of timber, has experimented until the economy of timber, treatment is now regarded as a certainty.

The life of almost any species of wood, it is claimed, can at least be doubled by thorough treatment with chloride of zinc or creosote, meaning a great saving for the railroads not only in original cost, but in items of replacement. Better still, it is said that cheap woods when well treated are often just as good as the more expensive woods and will last much longer than the more durable woods untreated. Cottonwood, willow, spruce, lodgepole pine or jack pine can thus be used for poles, and birch, hemlock or tamarack in place of oak for ties.

The large mining companies of the West, it is said, are not far behind the railroads in the movement, and are adopting similar treatment for the timber used in the mines, where the dampness is a cause of rapid decay and the cost of replacement is great. The forest service furnishes an expert in wood preservatives, who takes charge of the plants until the men have become accustomed to the methods, the companies paying the expense.

REV. W. C. BRANDON RETURNED TO EARLINGTON

Will Have Charge of Methodist Church Another Year.

To the Members of my Church: Conference closed Monday. We had but few changes in this District. I am glad to report that I was returned to Earlinton. By your co-operation last conference year I was enabled to make a fine report. We ought

to feel encouraged and do even better this year than ever before.

We have a fine Official Board, and one of the best treasurers in the person of W. S. Bramwell.

Our Sunday school, under the superintendency of Mr. Paul M. Moore, will be a success.

The Epworth League has taken on new life under the presidency of Miss Adline Toombs.

Our Woman's Home Mission Society, presided over by Miss Anna Ashby, will be enabled to do good work.

So with energy and delight I will begin my new year's work next Sunday. My thanks are hereby tendered to my entire membership for your support in the past, and I promise you to try and give you the very best work and preaching of which I am capable.

Services next Sunday morning at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Hope to have my people present for I shall give full reports of the proceedings of the session of the conference.

Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Epworth League 6:45 p. m.

W. C. BRANDON, Pastor.

STRIKING IRON MOLDER KILLED AT LOUISVILLE

Shot at Two Strike Breakers in Dark—Fire Returned.

Louisville, Ky., Oct. 4.—Philip Sullivan, a striking iron molder, was shot and killed Saturday night near the plant of the O. K. Stove & Range Company by Claude Turner, aged twenty-one years, a strike-breaker, of Nashville, Tenn. Turner was arrested yesterday afternoon shortly after Sullivan had died. Constant trouble between the strikers and strike-breakers has arisen since the molders' strike was declared several months ago, but the shooting Saturday night was the first serious trouble. Sullivan had been one of the most zealous workers of the Molders' Union and did everything in his power to keep the strike-breakers from working.

There were no eye-witnesses to the shooting, as far as can be learned, except Jack Delaney, a strike-breaker, who was with Turner at the time. They both tell a story of self defense that tallies in every detail. Turner gave the following version of the shooting.

"I was walking with Jack Delaney near the plant of the O. K. Stove & Range Company on my way to my boarding house, on Brook street, near Hill, and it was very dark where we were walking. We were going at a pretty good gait, when suddenly we heard seven shots ring out in rapid succession. The bullets whizzed close to our heads, and Delaney broke and ran.

"When the firing ceased I saw a man jump out of a clump of weeds, and then I drew my revolver and fired once. The man fell when I fired, and I knew that I had hit him."

DAUGHTERS OF CONFEDERACY

Reunion to be Held at Hopkinsville October 13-14.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Oct. 3.—Judging from the number of credentials that are being received already, the State meeting of the United Daughters of the Confederacy here on October 13 and 14 will be one of the best attended meetings ever held. The total number of delegates is expected to be somewhere from a hundred to a hundred and fifty. As fast as the credentials are received the lo-

cal committee is assigning the delegates to homes among those citizens who have offered to entertain one or more of the visitors in their homes, and this part of the work will all be done when they arrive.

There will also probably be some kind of an exercise in honor of the memory of the late John C. Latham, the New York banker, who was himself a Confederate soldier and who so generously donated the handsome monument which now stands in Riverside cemetery and under which lie the bodies of 120 Confederate soldiers.

Mrs. Caroline Meriwether Goodlett, of Nashville, the founder of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, will be present during the entire time.

There are fifty-eight chapters of the organization in Kentucky and they will be represented. In addition a number of visitors are expected from Tennessee and other neighboring states.

Resolutions of Respect

The Earlinton Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, has been called on to give up one of its faithful members, Mrs. T. A. Jones. It was our good pleasure to be with her in her last hour. She loved the Chapter and requested the members to go in a body to her grave. She was a true Christian, was always cheerful and looked on the bright side of everything.

Our finite mind can not understand such visitations of Providence but it is God's way, and may He enable us to say, His will not ours be done.

Now we extend sympathy to devoted son loving sister and friends. Her dear name will be placed on our memorial page.

Committee.

Gov. Willson to Join Taft Party at Hickman.

Hickman, Ky., Oct. 1.—J. T. Stephens, postmaster of this city, is in receipt of a letter from Gov. Willson stating that he will join President Taft and party en route down the Mississippi river at Hickman on October 26, instead of joining the party at St. Louis. Gov. Willson will arrive in Fulton on the evening of October 25 and will come over to Hickman by auto that night. Gov. Willson will make a speech introducing President Taft.

Water Franchise Goes A-begging.

Madisonville, Ky., Oct. 2.—A second attempt in a year to sell a water works franchise for Madisonville resulted in failure, there being no bidders. The city council will likely submit the matter of issuing bonds to a vote and should it meet with approval a system will be installed by the city, otherwise another effort will be made to sell a franchise.

Kentucky Crop Report.

Frankfort, Ky.—The Kentucky state crop report, for October, makes the yield of corn 32,000,000 bushels, against 25,000,000 last year, indicating a total grain crop of 112,000,000 bushels, against 80,000,000 estimated by the Government in September, and 85,000,000 a year ago. The acreage of winter wheat sown is 81 per cent.

Everybody Sings

The American people, weary of art controversy, will please rise and sing with one accord Jamieson Montgomery's lines: "If I shall rest be found, or in the weary soul? or in the ocean depths will I find, to either pole."

HORSE SHOW ATTRACTIONS

Saddle Horse Given Special Prominence in Louisville Event

WIDESPREAD INTEREST IS FELT THROUGHOUT KENTUCKY

Although liberal prizes have been announced for all the 57 classes of the Louisville Horse Show which will be held at the armory in that city the week of October 11th, the saddle classes in particular have been well taken care of. The number of classes and the value of the awards is sufficient to insure fine competition among the prominent exhibitors of Kentucky saddle horses, which are of course the finest of the type in the world.

The first class for five-gaited saddlers is for those under four years old, and for premiums offered by the American Saddle Horse Breeders' Association. The next is for those not over 15.2, and the class following provides for those exceeding 15.2. The combination class follows, and the championship class is No. 32, the premiums in that class are offered by Paul Jones & Co., of Louisville.

In the three-gaited division the first class is for those 15.2, and under, followed by one of those 15.2 and under 15.3. The next class is for those 15.3 and over, while the ladies' class is next. The American Saddle Horse Breeders' Association offers the prizes in the next class, for three-gaited saddle horses under four years old. The combination class follows, and the final event will be the championship class.

Entries in these classes are heavy, and great sport is promised. The attendance from this section of the State will be large.

GOVERNOR'S WIFE INJURED IN FALL

Mrs. A. E. Willson Slips on Rug in Mansion and is Painfully Hurt.

Frankfort, Ky., Oct. 4.—Mrs. Willson, wife of the Governor, suffered another severe injury this morning at the mansion and as a result of it her left hand is now disabled and her right hand which was hurt in the runaway accident several months ago was injured anew.

Mrs. Willson slipped on a rug as she was entering the house from the rear porch and fell with great force. She was rendered unconscious for a time. The main force of the fall came on her left hand, but the injured right hand was also hurt. Physicians say that there is no serious injury as a result of the fall.

Sings of the Season

The loaded wagons of pumpkins, of big red apples, the cry of cider, the graceful golden rod, the abundance of wild grapes, a few fallen persimmons—all these things bespeak the season as truly as the cold days and nights have told. The forecast for the winter is long and severe. —Uniontown Telegram.

Veteran Editor Dead.

Calhoun, Ky., October 4.—George F. Swint, editor and owner of the Calhoun Star, and one of the best known Democratic editors of Western Kentucky, died at his home here. He

GREAT FLIGHT ACCOMPLISHED

By Wilbur Wright In New York In the Epoch Making

HUDSON AND FULTON CELEBRATION.

New York, Oct. 4.—Today Wilbur Wright added his name to the fame of Hudson and Fulton when he accomplished one of the most spectacular feats in the history of aeronautics. He intended to improve on the morning flight, but gave up at sunset because the motor cylinder head blew out, cutting a hole in the upper plane.

FOR 43,000 FANS

Seats Constructed in the Pittsburg Ball Park.

Pittsburg, Oct. 4.—The National baseball commission has announced an unprecedented sale of tickets for the Pittsburg-Detroit games. There was \$100,000 worth of orders for seats for the first two games turned in, but refused. No reserved seats are left. Additional seats will be built, increasing the number to 43,000, the largest park in the world. Mail orders received after Sunday morning were returned.

BREAK JAIL AT HENDERSON.

Seven Prisoners Make Their Escape, and Eight Others Are Caught Just in Time.

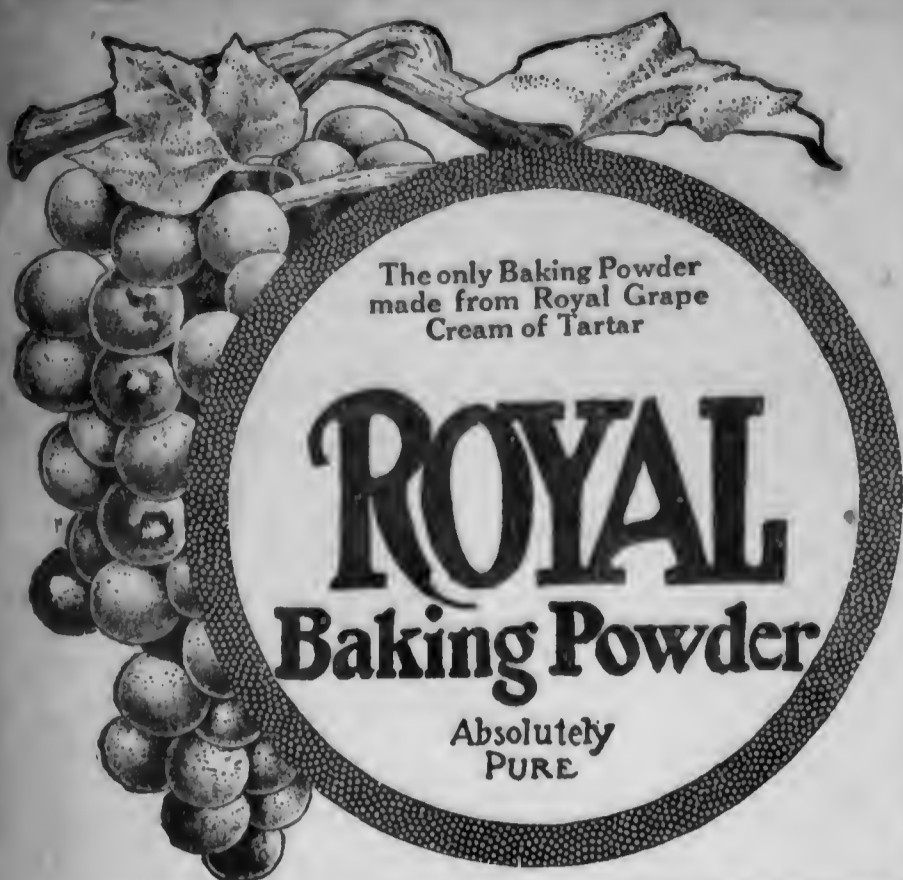
Henderson, Ky., Oct. 4.—Seven prisoners escaped from the Henderson county jail at 6:30 o'clock last evening by knocking out an air hole over a grate which had formerly been used for heating purposes, going into the boiler-room and making their way out through the cellar. Only the fact that Jailer Jennings' little daughter saw some of the men escaping prevented eight others from going with them. The prisoners who made their escape are all negroes and are as follows:

Henry Reeder, awaiting trial for forgery; Henry Terry, sentenced two years for burglary; Sam Harris, awaiting trial for malicious cutting; Gillie Rellick, awaiting trial for malicious cutting; Owen Wilson, awaiting trial for malicious shooting; Haywood Jackson, sentenced to three years for shooting and wounding with intent to kill; Grafton Jackson, awaiting trial for malicious shooting.

A number of deputies were sworn in and are scouring the county for the missing men. John Bill Yates, colored, who was under sentence for twenty-one years for manslaughter, did not escape, although he was in the same section with the others who made their getaway.

Mrs. Teel Returns Home.

Mrs. I. H. Teel, of Visalia, Cal., who has been visiting friends here for some days, left on her homeward journey Tuesday. She will stop at St. Louis and Colorado points to visit friends enroute. Mrs. Teel is in excellent health and very much enjoys living in California. Mr. Teel is remembered most pleasantly by the people of Earlinton from the time of his pastorate of the Christian church here some years ago. He still owns Earlinton real estate which he bought and built upon when he lived here.



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Local Happenings

J. M. Oldham was in Madisonville Monday on business.

J. R. Rash spent yesterday south on business.

C. C. Rambo, of Madisonville, was in town Tuesday on business.

Ad Pritchett, of Madisonville, was in the city on business Tuesday.

Miss Carrie Crenshaw, who has been quite sick is now able to be up.

Quite a number of our citizens attended the Centennial at St. Louis this week.

Isaac Davis, the Standard Oil man in this city, was in Madisonville Tuesday.

Miss Annie Leahy has returned to Nashville, Tenn., where she is attending school.

The cells will be placed in the city hall in a few days and Judge Newton and Marshall Bradley will move in.

Mr. Chas. Henry, supervisor, has had the street in front of the Post office graded and has greatly improved it.

Jas. Maloney has moved one of his pool tables to the colored hall and will run a pool room for the use of colored people.

Chas. Cowell and family and Theo. Watts and family spent Sunday in the country, near here, where they have farms.

Miss Hattie Wallace, trained nurse, who has many friends in this city, is now at The Woman's Hospital in Nashville, Tenn.

W. D. Cavines and family and Julius Coenen and Jas. Ligon left Monday for Morganfield. From there they will go on the river fishing.

The Dixie Quartette, consisting of Ernest Brinkley, Lee Withers, Cliff Long and Elgie Goodloe rendered several nice selections at the rink Monday night.

John Coyle is having the business house he lately purchased from N. I. Toombs, thoroughly overhauled and will have a first-class barber shop in every respect.

Tomorrow a number of our young people, chartered by Dr. and Mrs. Davis and Mrs. Hewlett will leave for Pond river outing. They will return Monday morning.

Please when addressing communications to THE BEG, use only one side of your paper. We will be glad to publish any social event of personal mention of your visitor.

Messrs. C. H. McGary and Ernest Newton, of Earlinton, and Walter N. Martin, of Madisonville, are attending the Grand Lodge of K. of P.'s at Winchester this week.

Wanted.—First class coal shovellers, track layers and buss timbermen.
NEMO CONSOLIDATED COAL & COKE COMPANY.

The Ladies' Aid, of the Christian church met at the residence of Mrs. Theo. Watts' Tuesday afternoon. Quite an interesting meeting was held. These ladies do lots of good for the poor of our city.

A letter from W. R. Coyle, who is visiting the Exposition in Seattle, reports a big show and a splendid time.

What would you think of the farmer who consumed all his crop as he made it. That is what many laborers do. Don't you think it would be well for you to start an account with The Peoples Bank of Earlinton, an institution of laboring people, by laboring people and for laboring people.

Geo. W. Bates took the official oath of attorney-at-law at the nation hour of Monday's session of the Hopkins Circuit Court. This admits Mr. Bates to practice in any and all courts. Mr. Bates is a graduate of Cumberland University, Lebanon, Tenn., and is an able and promising young lawyer. His office is in Peoples Bank.

The U. D. C. of Earlinton held quite an interesting meeting Tuesday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. J. R. Rash. A large number of members were present. Mrs. P. B. Davis and Mrs. Sory were appointed as a delegate to attend the annual convention that meets at Hopkinsville Oct. 13-14. This chapter is one of the largest in the State, having nearly 75 members.

The East End Card Club held its weekly meeting with the Misses Crenshaw on last Friday afternoon. The following ladies were present: Mesdames Atkinson, Culin, Kline, Davis, Southworth, Johnson, Victory, Goldsmith and Randolph, and Misses Spillman and Victory. Miss Spillman again made the highest score. At the conclusion of the games, dainty refreshments were served. The meeting was a most delightful one.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure manufactured by F. I. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from two drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.
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Directors Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the regular Directors meeting of the St. Bernard Mining Company will be held in the office of the Company on Wednesday, October 27th, 1909, at 11:30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the transaction of such business as may regularly come before the meeting.

Geo. C. Atkinson,
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Skillful Driving.

First Irishman (in London tube)—"Sure an' 'tis a mighty strange way of traveling." Second Irishman—"De-dad, 't is a wonder we don't strike and burst some water pipe."—Punch.

The Moving Throng

Dan Sullivan is in St. Louis this week.

J. R. Rash was in the county seat Monday.

Sam Rainey and wife are visiting in St. Louis, Mo.

Mrs. John Tanner is visiting relative in Tennessee.

E. J. Duncan, of Greenville, spent Tuesday in the city.

J. R. Dean spent Tuesday in Madisonville, on business.

Hugh Blair spent Saturday in Evansville with friends.

H. H. Holman, of Madisonville, was in the city Tuesday.

P. E. Golden, spent Saturday in Evansville with relatives.

W. C. Morton, of Madisonville, was in the city Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Leahy are visiting in St. Louis this week.

Maj. S. M. Kimmel spent Sunday with home folks in Henderson.

W. W. Watts, of Cobb, Ky., is spending a few days in the city.

Mrs. G. E. Dillingham, of White Plains, spent Monday in the city.

Rev. R. C. Long, of Elkton, was a visitor to Mr. J. R. Dean Tuesday.

Mrs. Maggie Hand left Monday night to visit friends in Evansville.

Yandell Tilford and mother are visiting relatives in St. Louis, Mo. this week.

Mrs. E. A. Davis, of Mineral Wells, Texas, arrived in the city Monday night.

Miss Mamie Ford and her brother, Henry, left Monday night for St. Louis to visit friends.

Rev. A. G. Fraser and wife, of Bowling Green, spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Rex McEuen.

Mr. L. V. Renfro and wife and sister, Miss Alma, returned Monday night from a trip to friends at Mangrum, Okla.

Bishop Bainbridge, of St. Louis, who is visiting his mother Mrs. S. S. Bainbridge at Madisonville, was in the city Tuesday.

John X. Taylor and wife, D. M. Evans and wife, W. S. McGary and wife left Tuesday for a few days visit to St. Louis, Mo.

Rev. J. D. Fraser and wife were in the city a few days this week as guest of their daughter, Mrs. Rex McEuen. Mr. Fraser will locate at Cadiz.

Revival Meeting.

A protracted meeting will begin at the Christian church at Earlinton on Sunday night, Oct. 10th. Preaching by Evangelist S. R. Maxwell, of St. Louis. The meetings will continue nightly for at least two weeks.

Mr. Maxwell is an able speaker as well as an author of note. His book on Psychology is rated as a standard work, fully covering that deep subject.

While Mr. Maxwell is a profound thinker, he is not one of the class of erudite men who carry an audience into a maze of speculation and leave it to founder.

He has the rare gift of trilling the Gospel Plan so one feels satisfied there is a plan and the way is plain.

Magnetic in personality, gifted in oratory, he will undoubtedly preach to large audiences in Earlinton and do a good work.

Following is a list of subjects for the first week:

Sunday—The Man from Mars.

—Chart Sermon.

Monday—The Greatest Force in the World.

Tuesday—A Question in Arithmetic.

Wednesday—Something Better than the Flag.

Thursday—Crucifying Christ While we Wear His Robes.

Friday—The Prisoner at the Bar.

Saturday—The Eternal Companion.

Beauty and Brains.

This slab of soil they call Kansas has more prosperity, health and happiness; more sweet girls and sweeter mother-in-laws, and more gleeful-faced, hail-handed, mushroom-footed men who make up in brains what they lack in looks than any other place on top of earth.—Hutchinson (Kan.) City.

Also Somewhat Rare, An old The best treasure among no be a frugal tongue.—Hesiod.

OFFERS \$50,000 AS A MARRIAGE FEE

ASSERTS COUNT WHO MARRIED WEALTHY WIDOW WOULD SETTLE OUT OF COURT.

LOVE LETTERS ARE IN FRENCH

Doctor's Wife Wrote Missives for Count Eulalia and Mrs. Stetson Had to Have Them Translated. —Sues for \$10,000.

Chicago, Oct. 1.—Dr. Franklin Ernst says negotiations are in progress here for a settlement out of court of the \$10,000 matrimonial fee claimed by his wife for her services in arranging the marriage of Count Santa Eulalia and the widow of John B. Stetson, the multimillionaire hat-maker.

It is said a cash offer in excess of \$5000 has been made, but Dr. and Mrs. Ernst are reticent on this point.

"No matter how this case comes out," said Dr. Ernst Thursday "Count Eulalia has to answer to my face for a letter he wrote me, saying my wife and I were trying to blackmail him. He shall answer to me personally for that insult."

Lawyer Calls to Settle Case.

The preliminary overtures for a settlement were made Wednesday night at the boarding house of the Ernsts, 329 Michigan avenue, by a lawyer named Warren, who, Dr. Ernst said, declared he had been communicated with by long distance telephone from Philadelphia by lawyers for the Stetson estate, who inquired about the possibilities of a cash settlement of the proposed suit.

"Were those letters written to Mrs. Stetson by my wife for the count's passionate and loving? Well, I should say they were," said Dr. Ernst. "All of Mrs. Stetson's letters from the count were written in French by my wife. Nof, French is the court language of all Europe, and a nobleman who can't write French is not much of a nobleman."

"The count can speak French because he lived or existed for a time in Paris, but he can't write it. I don't believe Mrs. Stetson can read French, so you can see that quite a number of people must have been close to this wooing."

"Mrs. Stetson probably had to have her love letters translated. The letters were not written in English, because Mrs. Stetson knew that the count could not write English."

Letters Will Make Good Reading.

"Can a copy of these letters be had?" was inquired. Mrs. Ernst appeared at this point and was just in time to hear the question.

"None of the letters will be made public at this time," she chimed in. "They will make a good reading and probably they will be read in court," said Dr. Ernst. "It makes my blood boil," he continued, "to think of the way that scoundrel has treated me and my wife."

TWO AUTOISTS ARE KILLED

Meet Death Bringing Back Leo Stevens' Balloon When Machine Was Wrecked.

New York, Sept. 30.—Edward Baker, proprietor of the Mineola 11, 11 garage, and Parker Norton, owner of the Mineola Press, were killed in the wreck of an automobile in which they were bringing Leo Stevens' balloon back to Krugs Corner from Hicksville. William Watson, who was driving the car, escaped with slight injuries. Watson had volunteered to follow the balloon, which ascended from along the Hudson river late in the afternoon, and bring it back after the landing. He reached Hicksville, where the balloon landed, and was followed shortly by A. R. Pardington in a second car.

Pardington took Stevens and Dr. Lucas, the aeronauts, in his machine back to Krugs hotel, leaving Watson and the other two men to follow with the balloon. When the party failed to arrive Pardington returned to search for them and found the machine wrecked against a telegraph pole on the Jericho turnpike. Here it lay the body of Baker with a broken neck and Norton with a fractured skull.

BANK ROBBERS MAKE HAUL

Three Heavily Armed Unmasked Men Hold Up Glenwood Springs, Col. Cashier in Daytime.

Glenwood Springs, Colo., Oct. 1.—The Citizens' National Bank of Glenwood Springs was held up and robbed of \$10,000 in cash by three unmasked, but heavily armed men. The robbers escaped to the valley westward, 30 minutes ahead of a sheriff's posse.

The robbers rode up to the rear of the bank, leisurely dismounted and fled their horses. Being unmasked, they aroused no suspicion.

They then went to the front entrance and two entered and held up Assistant Cashier E. E. Drach, who was behind the cashier's window. One of the bandits cocked a revolver and told him to "hurry or be shot." Drach gave the men all the money in the bank.

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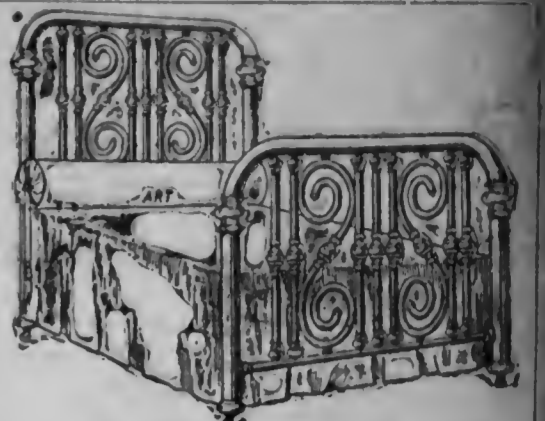
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REDISTRICTING BOARD NAMED

Men Appointed to Serve as
Commission to Redistrict

LEGISLATIVE AND SENATORIAL
DISTRICTS OF THE STATE.

Frankfort, Ky., Oct. 5.—Gov. Willson wrote letters to Judge Alex Humphreys and Andrew Cowan, Louisville; O. H. Waddle, Somerset; T. L. Edelen, Frankfort; John R. Allen, Lexington; John F. Hager, Ashland; L. J. Crawford, Newport; John T. Shelby, Lexington; Jere Sullivan, Richmond; C. U. McElroy, Bowling Green, asking them to serve as a commission to prepare a legislative and senatorial redistricting bill to be presented to the next legislature. He informs them that there is no provision for pay or expenses, but that he will ask the legislature to make an allowance. The commission is bi-partisan. The letter follows:

Frankfort, Ky., Oct. 5.—Gov. Willson has chosen a commission to redistrict Kentucky. He writes as follows:

"To Judge Alex P. Humphrey, Chairman, Louisville; Col. Andrew Cowan, Louisville; Mr. O. H. Waddle, Somerset, Ky.; Mr. T. L. Edelen, Frankfort, Ky.; Col. John R. Allen, Lexington, Ky.; Mr. John F. Hager, Ashland, Ky.; Hon. L. J. Crawford, Newport, Ky.; Mr. John T. Shelby, Lexington, Ky.; Hon. Jere Sullivan, Richmond, Ky.; Hon. C. U. McElroy, Bowling Green, Ky.:

"Gentlemen: Section 33 of the Constitution, which is the covenant of the people of Kentucky, binding upon all the people and their officers, commands

that once in every ten years the State shall be divided into thirty-eight Senatorial districts and one hundred Representative districts, provided, in doing so, the principle requiring every district be as nearly equal in population as may be shall not be violated. The law now in force in the act of 1893, more than sixteen years ago.

Three years after the time commanded by the constitution the act of 1906 was adopted, redistricting the State, but in Ragland vs. Anderson, 125 Kentucky, the Court of Appeals, in an eminently non-partisan opinion, held that the inequality of this act is so glaring that it precludes the possibility that there was any attempt to divide the State into 100 legislative districts as nearly equal as may be, and that it was clearly violative of the constitutional inhibition against equality, and declared the equality of representation is a vital principle of Democracy; that without equality republican institutions are impossible, and that inequality of representation is a tyranny to which no people worthy of freedom will tamely submit; that equality of representation is the basis of patriotism; that no citizen will, or ought to, love the State which oppresses him, and that citizen is arbitrarily oppressed who is denied equality of representation with every other citizen of the Commonwealth.

"It is known to all the people, and was implied by the opinion of the Court of Appeals, that the existing law, the act of 1893, also clearly violates the constitution, but that it could not be held it was unconstitutional without throwing the state government into chaos, as it has been organized under the law after the adoption of the new constitution,

"The commission expressed its faith

that the members of the next General Assembly, impelled by their sense of duty, the obligations of their oath of office, together with the spirit of justice, which is the heritage of the race, will redistrict the State as the Constitution requires."

"It is clearly to be regretted by all that the last General Assembly did not redistrict the State, and that another election of Senators and Representatives must be held under the unequal and unfair act of 1893.

"The 'sense of duty,' the 'obligations of the oath of office' and 'the spirit of justice which is the heritage of the race' will again impose upon the next General Assembly this duty of redistricting the State as the constitution requires.

"But the short term of sixty days and the many important matters which will be considered in that assembly, will endanger the chance of adopting a just re-districting bill, and in order to lessen the preliminary work I feel it my duty to the State to ask a bi-partisan commission of upright citizens to canvass the population, under the last census, and report to the Governor, for his recommendation to the General Assembly, a just and equal re-districting bill.

"For the good of the State, I invite you gentlemen, well-known citizens, equally divided in political affiliation, to take the Constitution, the geography and the census and prepare a measure to re-district the State, which will give a square deal to all the people of the State without regard to section or party.

"I feel sure that I can recommend to the General Assembly any plan which such men as you, or a majority, shall report to be fair and just. There is no provision of law to pay the expenses.

"The report will in no way bind the General Assembly, except in so far as its wisdom and fairness shall affect the opinions and consciences of the members.

"But I shall be glad to ask the General Assembly, if it approves the result of your labors, to pay the actual necessary expenses incurred by you in making the preliminary investigation. The sting of inequality and injustice in the present districts hurts the feelings of all good people. While perfect equality of population in all districts is not possible, it seems to be wholly a question of mathematics and geography to make all districts as nearly equal as may be. And I believe that if you make the calculations and report a just plan you will have a reward which men of your character value more than money in the respect and honor which such work will win from all the people.

"Judge Humphrey will act as chairman to confer with the other members and fix the date and place of your first meeting, after which the commission will do the work in its own way. You are also requested to consider what, if any, changes, in our present election laws are needed to protect the people in honest, just and fair elections. And, if time permits, to report whether the judicial district, appellate and circuit, the Congressional and Railroad Commission districts, are justly and fairly constituted, and if not, what changes are necessary to make them just and fair.

"It is my prayer and hope that your deliberations will result in plans which will put an end to all hard feelings over unequal and unfair representation, and will have a part in deserving

and winning the respect of people and our institutions.

Yours truly,

"AUGUSTUS E. WILLSON,
"Governor of Kentucky."

Locomotive Blasts.

May Enjoin Merger.

Frankfort, Ky., Sept. 25.—Attorney General Breathitt will file suit to prevent the merger of the Louisville and Atlantic if he decides that the purchase of the latter road is illegal. A protest against the merger or the purchase of the Louisville and Atlantic by the Louisville and Nashville is being made by the citizens of Richmond on the grounds that the lines are competing and the deal cannot be legally consummated under the State statutes. Attorney General Breathitt was asked to investigate the case by Governor Willson, and he stated today that the filing of the suit would be his answer if he thought the deal illegal.

Water Tank at Morganfield.

The L. & N. R. R. Co., is building a large water tank near the station on Main street. Morganfield will be a terminal of the new line to Louisville and it is expected that trains will be running in two months. Hence the tank will be erected for permanent use and will draw water from the Thomas Coal Mines.—Morganfield Sun.

Clay Depot Robbed.

Tuesday night some unknown thief obtained entrance to the L. & N. depot by entering the colored waiting room, breaking out the screen in the ticket window at Clay. The cash drawer was torn to pieces and about \$1.75 in pennies was taken.—Webster County Times.

Jame H. Cole, 53 years old, Third avenue, died at 2 o'clock Sunday morning. Cole has been bookkeeper at the L. & N. railroad at the Hotel shops for the last few years. His death was caused by asthma with which he has been severely ill for the last month. Mr. Cole leaves a son, Richard, of Mount Carmel, Ill.

President C. H. Bowen, of the Winchester Commercial Club, writes that an inspection of route has been made for a proposed traction line from Winchester to Sharpsburg, but as yet there is no organization or company formed.

Metcalf and Hart counties are reported to offer \$300,000 for the building of an electric railway from Horse Cave to Edmont.


W. H. West is on the interurban during conductor Leahy's absence.

Deception of the Circus. A writer in Collier's who is as familiar with circus life as a press agent, but who doesn't respect trade secrets, says that the graceful young lady, bareback rider, and the shapely creature who does thrillers on the flying trapeze, are frequently young men, made feminine in appearance by the addition of a blonde wig and elaborate where nature failed to qualify him for the role.

Making the Best of Life. Comparatively few men know how to live. The man who has no system in his life, who is regulated by no definite principle and proposes to himself no great and honorable end is not likely to show a satisfactory result. Reflect on the vast possibilities of your life—of honor, usefulness and happiness. Is your life as intelligent as happy, as useful as you might have made it?

A Chump.

"He is an awful chump, isn't he?" "Yes, he bought a ticket in an automobile raffle and then built a garage before the drawing came off." "What do you know about that?" "He was disappointed when the drawing came off." "Not so you could have won it; he won the auto."—Houston



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What if skies be wan and chill?
 What if winds be harsh and stale?
 Presently the east will thrill,
 And the sad and shrunken sail,
 Bellying with a kindly gale,
 Bear you sunwards, while
 your chance
 Sends you back the hopeful
 hail:—
 "Fate's a fiddler. Life's a
 dance."

W. E. Henley.

CIRCUIT JUDGE.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of

Clifton J. Waddill,

of Hopkins County.

Republican nominee for Circuit Judge for the Fourth Judicial district, to be voted for at the November election

Commonwealth's Attorney.

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CARL HENDERSON,

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Republican nominee for Commonwealth's Attorney for the Fourth Judicial district, to be voted for at the November election.

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We are authorized to announce the candidacy of

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OF CHRISTIAN COUNTY.

Republican nominee for State Senator to represent Hopkins and Christian counties in the next legislature, to be voted for at the November election.

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CITY OFFICERS.

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 Night Chief—Clarence Mitchell.
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 Treasurer—Frank B. Arnold.
 City Physician—W. R. Nisbet.
 City Engineer—F. D. Rash.
 Street Commissioner—Robt. Wood.
 Councilmen—Jno. B. Atkinson,
 Madison Oldham, H. C. Bourland,
 L. H. O'Brien, Geo. C. Atkinson,
 Thos. Blair. Meeting night first
 Monday night in each month.
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 M. D.
 Postmaster—Chas. Cowell.

LODGES.

Masonic Lodge—E. W. Turner,
 No. 548 meets 1st and 3rd, Fridays
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 E. J. Phillips, Sec.
 Victoria Lodge, No. 84, K. of P.
 meets every Monday and Thursday
 nights. Visitors welcome.
 ERNEST NEWTON,
 K. of R. and S.
 Hopkins Lodge, A. O. U. W. No.
 561 meets every Thursday night.
 Y. Q. WALKER, Sec.
 Golden Cross Lodge, Earlinton,
 No. 525 meets 1st and 3rd, Saturday
 night in each month.
 Mrs. M. B. LONG, Sec.
 Degree of Honor, No. 10 meets 2nd
 and 4th Saturday nights in each
 month.
 MISS LIZZIE HUFF, Sec.
 Ben Hur Lodge, Earlinton
 Court, No. 55 meets every 2nd and
 4th Friday night at new Victory
 Hall.
 JOHN WAND, Scribe.
 Standard, Tribe No. 67, Red Men
 meets every Friday night.
 C. S. CRESSHAW, C. of R.
 Woodmen of the World, Calappa
 Camp No. 301 meets every Wednes-
 day night. All members are ear-
 nestly requested to be there.
 J. S. HANCOCK, Clerk.

Modern Woodmen of the World,
 No. 11992 meets every Wednesday.
 Y. Q. WALKER, Sec.
 Elks, B. P. O. No. 738 meets a
 Madisonville Monday night.
 Jas. E. Franceway, Secy.
 Visiting members are cordially
 invited to attend any of these
 Lodges.

CHURCHES.

CATHOLIC CHURCH.—First mass
 every Sunday and holy day at 7:00
 a. m. Second mass and preaching
 9:30 a. m. Vespers and benediction 7
 p. m. Rev. J. P. McFarland, Pastor.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.—Sunday-
 school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching every
 Lord's day at 10:45 a. m. and 7 p.
 m. Prayer meeting every Wednes-
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M. E. CHURCH.—Regular services
 third Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
 Prayer meeting Wednesday evening
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 Class meeting, second Sunday at
 10:30 a. m. Rev. J. H. Embry, pastor

Epworth League—J. S. Han-
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 C. Brandon, pastor. Services on
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CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH.—
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REDEYTERIAN CHURCH.—11
 a. m.—Regular services first Sunday
 at 7:30 p. m. and third Sunday at
 3:30 p. m. In each month. Sunday
 school each Sunday m. m. at 9:30
 o'clock.

Berlin's Women Detectives.
 Berlin is to have a corps of women
 detectives. Ten women have been
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 nine intuition as fast as they arrive.
 The police department believes that
 there are numerous crimes that wom-
 en can deal with better than men.

Skyscraper Lifting Duties.
 Brazil has some curious tariff du-
 ties—penknives, 291 per cent.; screws,
 334 per cent.; iron racks, 430 per
 cent.; iron bits, 626 per cent.; school
 chalk, 553 per cent.; key rings, 629
 per cent. American canned vegetables
 pay duties of 349 per cent.; canned
 fruits, 415; onions, 616.—Philadelphia
 Record.

One Solution.
 A Pennsylvania man has solved the
 relative-in-law problem. When his
 wife's family visit his home and stay
 over time he charges board and has
 them arrested if they refuse to pay. In
 this way relatives-in-law can do much
 toward making happy homes.—Balti-
 more American.

Ominous Outlook for Leaf Tobacco.

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view of our civic conditions in some of our principal tobacco-growing sections, have entered vigorously into the occupation of tobacco growing in their respective countries and their several colonies and dependencies.

Turning from the foreign to the domestic field, not only is the old Burley territory producing a large crop, but because of high prices and the migration of Burley territory in Kentucky, this type of tobacco is now being successfully raised in material quantities in Missouri, and in an experimental way in Illinois, as well as in some other states hitherto not engaged in Burley production. The reports of the success of Burley growers in Missouri are especially cheerful, indicating gratifying success and a disposition to expand the industry. With this increased production and minimized consumption, both foreign and domestic, what is to be the result?

Our home manufacturers can consume only so much, and if in consequence of the aforementioned causes a large surplus accumulates for which there is no demand, will the grower recognize the legitimate causes for his embarrassment, or will he blame imaginary persecutors and seek artificial means for remedying real evils brought about largely by his own indiscretions and blindness to the operation of the laws of causes and effect and supply and demand?

In this connection it may be properly remarked that the breaks are a better market on which to sell tobacco than political meetings. The marts of trade are better places to find customers than legislative halls. Cash buyers at fair prices are as a rule, better customers than pooling combinations, which themselves in the last analysis are subject to the law of supply and demand, and the outcome of which is, therefore, problematical, while at the same time involving expense, inconvenience and delay, and the withholding from circulation the money that the cash buyer would provide for the facilitation of trade in all of its arteries.

These facts and observations suggest future contingencies unpleasant to contemplate.

It is both weak and fatal for tobacco growers to close their eyes to impending danger. The sensible thing to do is to anticipate possible disaster by for-

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No. 104.....	3.40 a. m.
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No. 133, local.....	6.36 p. m.
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Must Supplement Vegetable Diet.
It is impossible to thrive on vegetables alone. They must be supplemented by eggs, cheese, Italian pastes, such as macaroni, brown bread, good salad oil, butter, nuts, cereals, pulses.

May Have Been Asleep.
The man who is not to remember the things that he has seen is a hypocrite. He has worked himself into a state of unconsciousness. He has said must be asleep. He has said beyond the control of his mind. He has said rates itself on the thought expressed by the speaker.

Cures Sick Turkeys.
Mr. Clinton Woodward, Wilmore, Ky., says: "I cured my hogs with your Bourbon Hog Cholera Remedy and my wife cured sick turkeys with your Bourbon Poultry Cure. They are both splendid remedies." Sold by St. Bernard Mining Co., Incorporated, drug department.

Saved by Brass Helmet.
Brass helmets worn by English fire fighters occasionally prove useful. At a recent fire 14 tons of glass fell on one man's head and completely buried him and when he had been dug out down to his shoulders another shower of glass came down and buried him again. He was in a hospital for four months and glass was coming out of different parts of his body for six months afterward, but he is still one of the best men of his company.

Money Comes in Bunches
to A. A. Chisholm, of Treadwell, N. Y., now. His reason is well worth reading: "For a long time I suffered from indigestion, torpid liver, constipation, nervousness, and general debility," he writes. "I couldn't sleep, had no appetite, nor ambition, grew weaker every day in spite of all medical treatment. Then used Electric Bitters. Twelve bottles restored all my old-time health and vigor. Now I can attend to business every day. It's a wonderful medicine." Infallible for Stomach, Liver, Kidneys, Blood and Nerves. 50c. at all druggists.

Wants a Ham Sandwich Mine.
Really, we cannot fully express our pleasure at the discovery of a new diamond field in South Africa. Now, if a ham sandwich mine, near enough to Macon for our children to work in, could be located, our happiness would be complete.—Macon News.

Constipation causes headache, nausea, dizziness, languor, heart palpitation. Drastic physics gripe, sicken, weaken the bowels and don't cure. Doan's Regula act and gently cure constipation. 25 cents. Ask your druggist.

Unsurveyed Land in Arabia.
The London Times of recent date shows that Arabia is considered as containing one of the most considerable areas of unknown land in existence.

A Bed-Rock of Success
lies in a keen, clear brain, backed by indomitable will and resistless energy. Such power comes from the splendid health that Dr. King's New Life Pills impart. They vitalize every organ and build up brain and body. J. A. Harmon, Lismore, W. Va., writes: "They are the best pills I ever used." 25c at all druggists.

Chance for a Bet.
Atchison people seem determined to force a certain bachelor to marry. For 20 years they have been "talking" about him, and wondering if he is going to marry this one or that one. Why can't people let the poor man alone? If he wants to be a bachelor, whose business is it? Every time he "goes" with a new girl, Atchison people begin betting on the result. (And incidentally we will bet five to one that his present steady doesn't land him.)—Atchison Globe.

A Banquet
spread before you would do you no good if you couldn't eat. What good can food do a child when as soon as it enters its stomach it is eaten by worms. That's the reason your baby is ailing, cross, pesty faced and thin. Give it White's Cream Vermifuge. It will expel the worms and act as a tonic for the child. Sold by St. Bernard Mining Co., Incorporated, drug department.

Bagged a White Tiger.
From India comes a story of an Alhino tigress: A white tigress, eight foot eight inches in length, has been shot at Dhenkara state, Orisso. The ground color was pure white and the stripes were of a deep reddish black. The skin has been presented to the rajah of Dhenkara, who has had it mounted and placed in his palace. The hunters of that country say that it is the only white tiger they have seen.

Note for Wives.
It is said that no man can tell a fish and keep his big toe still. If the women will induce their husbands to take off their shoes before they begin to question them they can catch them in a falsehood every time.—Atchison Globe.

A Poet's Work.
A letter by Robert Southey, just discovered, contains the lament that everybody reads poetry but no one buys it. In this age people do not even read it, but they continue to read "The Story of the Three Bears" without knowing it was originated by the great poet.—Philadelphia Inquirer.
Enthusiasm.
Nothing is so contagious as enthusiasm. It is the real allegory of the tale of Orpheus. It moves stones, it charms brutes. Enthusiasm is the genius of sincerity and truth accomplishes no victories without it.—Bulwer Lytton.

Rules for Right Conduct.
If you want to be somebody, do something in the world which will benefit yourself and your fellows, lay the foundation of character strong and solid to resist the temptations and trials the world will put in your way in your onward march through life. Nail your colors to the mast of integrity and defend them with the ammunition of right thinking and well doing.

It's a Top Notch Doer.
Great deeds compel regard. The world crowns its doers. That's why the American people have crowned Dr. King's New Discovery the King of Throat and Lung remedies. Every atom is a health force. It kills germs, and cures colds and la grippe, influenza, and coughing attacks. Some, inflamed bronchial tubes and lungs are cured and hemorrhages cease. Dr. Geo. More, Blue Jack, N. C., writes, "It cured me of lung trouble, pronounced hopeless by all doctors." 50c, \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by all druggists.

Simple Cure for Stuttering.
A German writer declares that stuttering can be cured by simply enforcing the rule: "Do not open your mouth till you are quite clear in your head exactly what you want to say."

"Had dyspepsia or indigestion for years. No appetite, and what I did eat distressed me terribly. Hardack Blood Bitters cured me."—J. H. Walker, Sunbury, Ohio.

True Love.
There is but one mate for each man and woman in the world and until they recognize the fact and learn with patience to await the note of absolute conviction which is the one infallible guide to happiness, marriages will fail as they fall now and the church will give its empty blessing to those ill-assorted pairs whom God forever leaves unhappily.—Exchange.

Frightful Fate Averted.
"I would have been a cripple for life, from a terrible cut on my knee cap," writes Frank Disberry, Kellier, Minn., "without Bucklen's Arnica Salve, which soon cured me." Infallible for wounds, cuts and bruises, it soon cures Burns, Scalds, Old Sores, Boils, Skin Eruptions. World's best for Piles. 25c. at all druggists.

Pig Errantry.
The report of the cattle market committee presented at Colchester town council the other day contained an item as to a pig starving, followed by "Resolved, That the town clerk communicate with the offender, warning him against committing any offense in future." It was touching to hear that penitent animal giving its word of honor that nothing of the sort should occur again.—London Globe.

Slightly Colder With Snow.
When you see that kind of a weather forecast you know that rheumatism weather is at hand. Get ready for it now by getting a bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniment. Finest thing made for rheumatism, chilblains, frost bite, sore and stiff joints and muscles, all aches and pains. 25c, 50c and \$1.00 a bottle. Sold by St. Bernard Mining Co., Incorporated, drug department.

Fate of the Spanish Woman.
Evelyn Mitford, writing in the Queen, says that the women of the lower classes in Spain do not make calls nor read books, and have no "parties" in the American sense of the word. They do their household work and go to church, and that is all there is of life to them. Their husbands are very jealous of them, and they grow old and weary before their time.

Cold Weather Advice
to all is to beware of coughs and colds on the chest; as neglected they readily lead to pneumonia, consumption or other pulmonary troubles. Just as soon as the cough appears treat it with Ballard's Horehound Syrup the standard cure of America. Use as directed—perfectly harmless. A cure and preventive for all diseases of the lungs. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by St. Bernard Mining Co., Incorporated, drug department.

Pat's Appreciation.
An artist had finished a landscape; on looking up, he beheld an Irish navy gazing at his canvas. "Well," said the artist, familiarly, "do you suppose you could make a picture like that?" The Irishman nodded his forehead a moment. "Sure, a man c'n do anything if he's druv to ut!" he replied.

Provided For.
Even when the man of few words hasn't any money to do his talking he usually has a wife.—Dallas News.

About Men.
Many a man would have more friends in this world, if he didn't spend so much time criticising the friends he already has.

And So Many Do.
"Dar ain' no doubt," said Uncle Eben, "dat money does mo' harm dan good to a man dat regards it simply as a license to git proud an' foolish."

The Proper Question.
The man with the glassy eye and preternaturally solemn demeanor put down a sovereign at the hooking office at Charing Cross, and demanded "a ticket." "What station?" snapped the hooking clerk. The would-be traveler steeled himself. "What stations have you?" he asked with quiet dignity.—London Globe.

Algeria Taking to Condensed Milk.
Algeria, common with many other of the backward countries of the east, is taking with avidity to one product of western civilization—condensed milk. The Swiss exporters get nearly all the trade.

Fifty Dollar Turkey.
Mrs. Laura Gill, Utica, Ky., says: "I did not get the Bourbon Poultry Cure in time to save my \$50 gobbler but I have a large flock of turkeys I want to use it with as I find it a good remedy." Sold by St. Bernard Mining Co., Incorporated, drug department.

Cold Storage Eggs.
Some of those eggs now going into cold storage may never come out again, but will remain, like the gold reserve in the Bank of England, as a part of the capital stock of the cold storage concern. In some future geological era, as they are dug up, the experimenters of the day can have great fun seeing whether or not they will hatch out.—Chicago News.

Never can tell when you'll mash a finger or suffer a cut, bruise, burn or scald. Be Prepared. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil instantly relieves the pain—quickly cures the wound.

Food for Pet Owls.
Young owls are easily raised on fresh meat. Up to the age of four or five weeks, beef and mutton finely chopped make a good food. After that, mice, rats and English sparrows, served whole, are in great demand and come nearest their natural food. These, if not too large, they will swallow whole.—St. Nicholas.

Not a Bottle Returned.
Experience of an old Druggist: "I have sold nearly all the Hughes' Tonic bought of you, and not a bottle has been returned. I have been in the drug business for twenty-five years and have never sold anything that gave such satisfaction." Sold by Druggists—50c. and \$2.00 bottles. Prepared by Robinson-Pattet Co., Incorporated, Louisville, Ky.

Fate of the First Reformer.
The first reformer in any movement has to meet with such a hard opposition and gets so hattered and hesitated that afterward, when people find they have to accept his reform, they will accept it more easily from another man.—Lincoln.

Has Poetry Enough; Wants Wood.
We have on hand more poetry than we can find room for. What we need is more wood. It is true the poetry is pretty wooden, but it doesn't fling out the warmth of oak and pine. We therefore prefer an ordinary load of wood to a cord of poetry.—Adams (Ga.) Enterprise.

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LEBI IS A GREAT MAN

to Sultan, This Monk is Most Powerful Individual in Ottoman Empire.

Constantinople.—Next to the sultan, the tchelebi of Koniah, who was summoned sooner than was planned to the sword of Osman upon Mohammed V., is the greatest personage in the Ottoman empire, for he is the great descendant of Ala Eddin, sultan of the Seljuks, who gave up his title to the illustrious, so as to be able to lead a retired life. This happened in the fourteenth century, and



Tchelebi of Koniah.

ever since then the descendants of Ala Eddin have invested the sultan by finding him with Osman's sword. The tchelebi and his followers, who are rich in land and live in a monastery at Koniah in Asia Minor, are known to the European world as dancing dervishes.

Each dervish, on entering Tchelebi's monastery, has to take a vow of chastity, poverty and obedience, his dwelling answering to that of the monk of western lands. All the same, they are allowed to marry and have a house in the town, though they must pass at least two nights a week in their monastery. Neither do they keep strictly to the vow of poverty, for besides a trade, many get large sums as presents from the faithful. Humility of soul they profess; but no man has a prouder manner and exterior than a dervish.

Amongst the more educated Turks, they have lost much of their ancient prestige and they have come down to mere conjurers. But the people fear and love them, and did tchelebi of Koniah refuse to give an Osman's sword, or did the sultan abolish the office, millions of the faithful would refuse to acknowledge Mohammed as their savior.

Just as are, in the Ottoman empire, the six of these monasteries, which the Turks call Mevlvi, from the name of their founder—Mevlevahina Djelaladdin-el-Roumi. They have a tekke for convent at Pera, Constantinople; and a room at Scutari where they perform their exercises.

IS PRODIGY WITH FIGURES.

Mathematician Can Multiply Long Faster Quicker Than One Can Write Them Down.

Barberton, Mich.—In this village lives Thomas Carmel O'Neill, perhaps



Thomas C. O'Neill.

the most wonderful mathematical prodigy in the world. Answers to the most intricate problems appear to him instantaneously, as in a photograph.

The discovery of his wonderful gift came to Mr. O'Neill in 1879, when he was a boy of 12 attending a country school. Problems in mental arithmetic were solved by him without effort and he quickly multiplied two rows of 50 figures each.

Mr. O'Neill can reduce years and months to seconds, miles to rods, feet to inches, etc., with lightning-like rapidity. He can take the number 32, square it, square the products 32 successive times, and the correct answer is photographed before his eyes with one instantaneous thought, quicker than the clock ticks once. Not only can he do this with the number 32, but with any number, large or small.

He can take 25 numbers of 500 figures each, multiply the first by the second and each successive product against each and every one to the termination of the last row, making a number of more than 10,000 figures, performing each multiplication instantaneously.

He will take 53 rolls of paper, each 100 feet long, containing numbers 35 figures wide and embodying 353,440 numbers, making a total of 20 feet over a mile. He will add the first roll, retain the result, unite it with the second, and so on, 53 successive times, almost instantly.

HAD THE AUDIENCE WITH HIM

Christian Missionary Had Little Show in Argument with Native Mollah.

As a medical missionary, stationed for 16 years in northwestern India, near the Afghanistan frontier, Dr. T. L. Pennell had his share of peril and adventure, which he has recounted in a volume entitled, "Among the Wild Tribes of the Afghan Border."

As a medical man, Dr. Pennell had his ups and downs with the native doctors, who sweat their patients and burn sores with lighted oil, but have no faith in western treatment. They also bleed and purge; but gradually the new-fangled treatment was accepted, and grateful converts were made at the Hannu dispensary.

As a missionary, Dr. Pennell had to contend with the mollahs, who are argumentative and great browbeaters; and very often, he confesses, he got the worst of it by verdict of the ragged crowd that hemmed in the theologians.

With a certain mollah, who regarded the Christian medicine-man as a rival, Dr. Pennell had an amusing encounter.

"Do you know," asked the mollah, "what becomes of the sun when it sets every day?"

The doctor gave the native circle the scientific explanation.

"Rubbish!" exclaimed the mollah. "We all know that the fires of hell are under the earth, and that the sun passes down every night, and therefore comes up blazing hot in the morning."

All Dr. Pennell's accounts of natural phenomena were ridiculed by the mollah. Then, turning to his people, he said, with contempt in his face and voice:

"It is evident that I shall have to teach him everything from the beginning."—Youth's Companion.

ORIGIN OF BRITISH SQUARE

Battle Formation First Used by Scotch Troops at the Battle of Bannockburn.

The greatest of all Scotch anniversaries is that of Bannockburn, fought on midsummer day in the year 1314. Apart from its bearing on the independence of Scotland, the battle will always have an exceptional interest from the military point of view, as Bannockburn may be said to have been the birthplace of the British square. "Proud Edward's" army mainly consisted of cavalry, while that of the Scots, on the other hand, was almost exclusively composed of foot-folk, armed with the spear, and these Bruce threw into "schiltrome," or oblong squares—a formation borrowed by Wallace from the Flemings, who had employed it with success at Courtray—to resist the charge of the English cavalry.

Hitherto the mailed mail-clad knight had carried everything before him, but Courtray and Bannockburn proved that he was powerless to break resolute, spear-armed infantry drawn up in "schiltrome" or oblong squares, and therefore Bruce revived and improved the tactics of the Flemings.

and of our own island. Profiting by the lesson which had been taught them at Bannockburn the English applied the tactics of the Scots with brilliant success at Crecy, and still more at Agincourt. As it was the Scots who may be said to have originated the British square at Bannockburn, so it was they again who at Balacava were the first to discard it with "their thin red line," and now, owing to our changed conditions of warfare, it is discarded altogether.

Duel with a Tiger.

Three Jakuns (aborigines) and a Malay chanced to be together in the jungle in Johore when they came across a tiger. They were only armed with parangs, and the Malay, wisely deciding in favor of discretion, took to his heels. Not so the Jakuns, however; for they at once determined to give battle, not utilizing their numerical superiority, but in the most sportsman manner arranging for the combat in a series of duels, if necessary.

As might have been expected, the series was necessary, and the end was not long in coming. The first man who entered the fray missed his blow and was at once struck down, and the same fate befell his two comrades, all three being killed.—Singapore Free Press.

For Parents Only.

Parents nowadays have good cause to grumble. When they were young, father and mother were paramount. Now that they are old, pa and ma don't count a straw.

"After all," exclaimed the young lady visitor to the paterfamilias, who had supplied her plate with all the choicest titbits from the roast fowl, "there is nothing in the world like the breast of a chicken, is there?"

"I can't say," replied paterfamilias enviously. "I have never tasted the white meat in my life. When I was young my parents ate it; now my children do."

Soldier's Odd Weapon.

A soldier named Pavlet was condemned to death by court-martial at Oran, France, the other day. He was charged with assaulting a corporal whilst on duty. During the hearing he threw at the president of the council a curious weapon made by himself, the blade of a pair of scissors fastened into a wooden handle. He was at once tried for this crime, and the death sentence pronounced.

SOCIAL CLIMBERS IN NEVADA

Land of Gold Witnesses Many Strange Vicissitudes in the Matter of Wealth.

Today a humble gold-seeker may be living in a hutch of the simple architecture of a box car, says Good Housekeeping. Tomorrow he is building a "villa" with real claphounds and shingles, hiring a Chinaman of all work and sending to Frisco for a brass bed and a Persian rug. Some very pretty little houses begin to dot the barren landscape. A railroad stretches its metal arm down into the gold-bearing wilderness and links it with the outer world. Some tailors, some shoemakers, some waiters

and ice cream, clergymen and drummers, pickpockets and actors and all that splendid procession from the cozy corners of civilization.

Social conditions were decidedly perplexing. Your washerwoman accepted a mining claim for an uncollectable debt. Suddenly the claim yields her a fortune, whereat, to show you that her wealth has not made her snobbish, she purchases an elaborate portable house and settles down as your next-door neighbor.

However, if you take it into your head to move away from the vicinity of the fortunate invader you would find the moving problem quite simple. A small force of husky men can pull your house up by the roots and carry it up a hill or down a slope without any great exertion—that is, unless your dwelling is "dobe," or you happen to be one of the bonanza crowd and have gone in for heavy architecture.

HOW DID THE PARROT KNOW?

Hard to Explain, But Polly Certainly Had Premonition of the Coming Earthquake.

"Beyond his habit of living to be 100 to 150 years old, the parrot is a truly remarkable bird in other ways," said Mr. E. N. Daniels of the City of Mexico.

"What makes me give utterance to this opinion is a trick that a bird which belongs to my young son executed the night of the late earthquake that shook us up so severely in Mexico. Fully five minutes before the first shock, which came a little after four o'clock in the morning, Polly set up a terrific uproar that culminated in a prolonged scream. I didn't relish the discordant racket which broke into the slumbers of the family and felt like murdering the miserable creature, especially as there was no cessation of its vocal exercise.

"While it was still coming in for my denunciations the tremor of the earth occurred, and in a second it flashed across my mind that Polly had given us warning in the only way it knew how to reach us. It may not seem reasonable that the bird should be able to sense a convulsion of nature in advance of its coming, but the facts are as I have stated, and after the affair was over I petted the parrot as much as I had scolded it a little while before. It has a meal ticket for life in the Daniels household, and money wouldn't buy it."

Easily Imagined.

Imagine, if you please, time when every family can have its own flying machine—a means of getting out for a day with as much safety as now attends the automobile or the old family horse. Wouldn't such a thing add a value to the world? Would it not enhance the pleasure of living to be able to take the wife and babies out for a spin in the air, where the air is pure, where there is no noise, where one can see the sun total of human happiness to take to the clouds as do the birds, and to have to consider neither the beaten highways nor the rocky barriers of the mountain ranges? Certainly it would. And just as certainly

such a time is rapidly dawning on the human race.—Springfield (O.) News.

A Millionaire Before He Was 21.

The arch prospector of all times was Cecil Rhodes. For him it was not merely going out and putting down holes in likely places. At 17 he had been touched with tuberculosis and ordered south. Arriving at his brother Herbert's cotton plantation in Africa in the midst of the second diamond excitement, he, with Herbert, was drawn into the "new rush." They took a claim at Colesburg—at 30 shillings a month rental. In a few weeks each leased a full claim, all the law allowed. Cecil Rhodes got himself to get the law to allow one man to own two claims, then ten, and then as many as he could lay hold of. So well did Rhodes keep pace with changing regulations that he returned to England at 19 a millionaire.—Franklin Clarkin, in Everybody's.

The Better Half.

"I've often wondered," said Jones, "why woman is called the better half."

"I'll tell you," said Smith; "but it's a hard matter to clearly define. You naturally, being a workman, think money better than anything else?"

Jones assented.

"You likewise know that money talks?"

"So I've heard," Jones replied; "although, to tell the truth, I usually hear only the echo of it."

"Well, we grant that money is better than all else; we grant, also, that money talks. Well, woman is half of a man's life. And—"

"Yes, indeed," finished Jones, interrupting him, "and she certainly does talk."

USES WINGS TO CATCH FISH

Sly Old Bird Is the Cassowary, According to Observations Made by Naturalist.

Habits of the cormorant and of our native fish hawk are generally known. Their methods of taking fish are very much like those of birds of prey. But the cassowary fishes according to a method of its own. A well-known naturalist witnessed its operations on a river in the island of New Britain.

He saw a cassowary come down to the water's edge and stand for some minutes apparently watching the water carefully. It then stepped into the river where it was about three feet deep, and partially squatting down, spread its wings out, submerging them, the feathers being spread and ruffled.

The bird remained motionless, and kept its eyes closed as if in sleep. It remained in this position for a quarter of an hour, when suddenly closing its wings and straightening its feathers it stepped out on the bank. Here it shook itself several times, whereupon a quantity of small fishes fell out of its wings and from among its feathers. These the bird immediately picked up and swallowed.

Two fishes had evidently remained in the feathers for a kind of cover, and glided to the water along the banks of the river in this island and which resembles the feathers of the cassowary.

wary. The smaller fishes hide in these weeds to avoid the larger ones that prey on them.

ONLY AS OLD AS SHE LOOKS

Woman of To-Day Retains Youthfulness Longer Than Her Grandmother Did.

Women in Switzerland grow old more gracefully than any of the other women in Europe, according to a letter to the Emporia (Kan.) Gazette. That does not mean that women who work hard in youth and sap their lives out before they are 30 are pretty. Not even American women of that type are beautiful. Perhaps it means that, owing to social and economic conditions, women do not have to wear themselves out as their mothers did, and hence they are beautiful in their forties and fifties. It may be pertinent to digress here and present this query: Are not women the world over, as a rule, adding a decade to their years of youth? It does seem that there are more handsome women between 35 and 55 than there were 25 years ago. Or perhaps a boy in his teens isn't so charitable to the minor failings of a woman in her forties as a man is in his forties. But discounting the pride of youth, it does seem that today, all over the world, the woman whose family income is between \$10 and \$1,000 a week—a wide range, surely—this woman retains her youthful freshness and charm longer than her grandmother retained hers. Labor-saving machinery seems to have done that much for the woman in general everywhere in civilization.

The Man with Mechanical Ability.

The man with a natural aptitude for mechanics received so many invitations to take automobile trips with friends who acted as their own chauffeur that he came to be envied by his less fortunate acquaintances. One day the popular guest condescended to enlighten them as to his true status.

"You fellows needn't get green-eyed," he said. "I haven't a snap, after all. What they want me to go along for is to blow up the tires and make repairs in case of an accident. I wouldn't be such a hot favorite if I wasn't so proficient in that line. That knowledge is somewhat galling, but as I enjoy the trips I swallow my pride and accept the invitations."

Virtues of the Hazel Twig.

Hazel twigs long have been used as instruments with which to discover water under ground. The twig has at various times been credited with many marvelous powers. Not only could it discover water, but concealed lodes of metal, especially silver, were betrayed by the hazel, which, according to tradition, was guided by the pixies who guarded the treasures of the earth. In France the divining rod of the peasant was used to the purpose of discovering where to dig for coal. In the case of the latter, the twig was used to discover the location of the coal seam.

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By undergoing this ceremony they are considered to be pledged to a like fate in the event of their swearing falsely.

